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SHARING GRAPHICAL SCREEN DATA IN  
A BANDWIDTH-ADAPTIVE MANNER

Examiner: P. Kim

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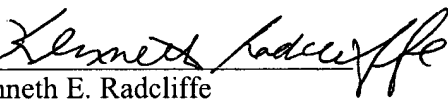
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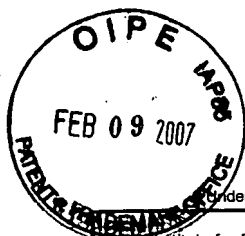
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